

COUNTELOFAX 5

(Soviet Zone)

REPORT

TOPIC: Changes in the Occupation of the ~~vacated~~ Post

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REFERENCES

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REMARKS

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1. At the end of June 1951, an officer training course of about 200 men, about half of whom being officer candidates, moved into buildings No 1 and 2 of the Lutz Kaserne, Wuensdorf (N 53/Z 91). The class rooms for the course were in building No 4 and the quarters of the instructors in building No 4a. The trainees were observed to receive theoretical instruction and physical training. * Building No 5a quartered a signal unit of about 50 men who had been temporarily accommodated in building No 1h0 of the Hindenburg Kaserne. The signal unit was checking all telephone lines and constructing some new lines within the confines of the post.

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Building No 5a of the Lutz Kaserne quartered the remaining elements of a motor transport unit which had previously been stationed in the Hindenburg Kaserne.

2. The Hindenburg Kaserne was vacant and being reconditioned on 6 July.

3. An element of the AT artillery unit in the Cambrai Kaserne moved to Camp Zossen, Twelve trucks [redacted] towing no artillery pieces, were observed with the unit. Building No 1Z1 of the Cambrai Kaserne was being converted into an officers' mess.

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4. The aforementioned AT artillery component was the only unit which moved into Camp Zossen by 6 July. A large kitchen was installed in one of the camp buildings. **

* [redacted] Comment. Probably the same course of instruction which reportedly moved from the Kriegsschule in Potsdam to the Zossen-Wuensdorf area at the end of June 1951.

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** [redacted] Comment. The units which changed quarters within the post are known from previous reports.

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